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TAGS: PFOR, SW, FI

SUBJECT: KEKKONEN TO PAY STATE VISIT TO SWEDEN

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1. MFA HAS ANNOUNCED THAT FINNISH PRESIDENT URHO KEKKONEN WILL PAY STATE VISIT TO SWEDEN LATER THIS MONTH FROM OCTOBER 21-24. HIS PROGRAM IS LARGELY MADE UP OF CEREMONIAL FUNCTIONS HOSTED BY KING CARL XVI GUSTAF, BUT IT WILL ALSO INCLUDE A MEETING WITH PM PALME AT HIS OFFICIAL COUNTRY RESIDENCE IN HARPSUND AND VISITS TO TWO LARGE INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISES, LM ERICSSON AND GOTAVERKEN-FINNBODA AB.  
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2. KEKKONEN'S PREVIOUS STATE VISIT TO SWEDEN OCCURRED IN 1956 SHORTLY AFTER HE ASSUMED OFFICE. HIS UPCOMING ONE IS RECIPROCATING KING CARL GUSTAF'S VISIT TO FINLAND A YEAR AGO. WHILE TIMING OF VISIT IS NOT IDEAL IN VIEW OF CURRENT EXCITEMENT OVER RECENT ATTEMPT TO SMUGGLE SWEDISH FUNDS TO SOCIAL DEMOCRATIC FACTION OF FINNISH METALWORKERS UNION, (STOCKHOLM 5173) IT SEEMS MOST UNLIKELY THAT EPISODE WILL  
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